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In the matter of Trademark Application No. 86/629,868

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HOBEL, INC.,

Opposer,

Opposition No. v.

91223374

BLAKE'S LOTABURGER, LLC,

Applicant.

MOTION FOR INVOLUNTARY DISMISSAL FOR FAILURE TO TAKE TESTIMONY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 2.132(a)

Applicant, Blake's Lotaburger, LLC, by and through its attorneys, hereby moves, pursuant to

Trademark Rule § 2.132(a), for dismissal of the subject opposition proceeding because Opposer,

Hobel, Inc., has failed to prosecute same. The thirty-day testimony period for Opposer expired on

July 24, 2016, and Applicant is not aware of any effort by Opposer to change trial dates or take any

testimony, nor has Applicant been served by Opposer with any notices for taking testimony or

motions for extending trial dates. As such, Applicant respectfully believes Opposer is no longer able

to obtain testimony and submit the evidence necessary to prove its case. Accordingly, Applicant

respectfully requests dismissal of the subject opposition proceeding as it should no longer be

necessary for Applicant to obtain testimony and produce evidence to defend the opposition in its

thirty-day testimony period which is scheduled to begin on August 22, 2016.

DATE: July 27, 2016

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Respectfully submitted,

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